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To call and settle. My bills in  
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what is due me. Please remem-  
ber that I mean this card for all  
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NEW LIVERY.

I have purchased the  
Walker stable and am  
prepared to furnish the

Very Best Rigs  
on the shortest notice.  
Special attention given  
Commercial Travelers.

RICE BERGE.

W. S. BEAZLEY,

DENTIST.  
Teeth filled and extracted with  
out pain. Crown and Bridge  
work a specialty. Office over J. R. Haselden's  
hardware store, next to Court House, Lan-  
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## IN AND ABOUT LANCASTER.

Fix the square.

Typewriter letter heads at this  
office.

All accounts due January 1st. R. A.  
Stone.

S. T. Evans handles the Nig Spencer  
tobacco.

200,000 brick for sale. Greening &  
Pence, Stanford, Ky.

Lookout for the big auction of la-  
dies' cloaks on the street county court  
day.

Please Read.

I would like to do your plain sew-  
ing and dyeing. Mrs. Ophelia Dunn.

Murdered at Marcellus.

The expense account of farmers, by  
grinding plow points at C. K. Poindex-  
ter's. nov-25-1f.

For Rent.

The tollgate dwelling on Danville  
pike, near Lancaster. For particulars  
apply to J. W. Miller or J. S. Robin-  
son.

Pay cash and save money. You  
have no idea what a difference we  
feel when we see the money, just  
can't "weigh light." R. A. Stone.

Bourbon Steam Laundry.

Miss Olivia Sweeney is agent for the  
Bourbon Steam Laundry. Leave your  
orders at Sweeney's store.

All accounts not paid by January 10  
will be placed with an officer for col-  
lection. R. A. Stone.

Corn Wanted.

If parties wishing to sell corn will  
bring it to me at once, I will buy same.  
J. W. Miller, Mgr. Pilgrimage Dis-  
tillery.

Come and see my furniture and get  
my prices before buying. A surprise  
is in store for you. They are so cheap.  
New lot just received. R. A. Stone.

An exchange says: Don't ever see  
don't forth, but come out flat-footed  
and tell the public that you have some-  
thing which it needs and for which it  
can pay easily, and the results will  
prove the wisdom of your action.

Strayed.

From my pasture, on House place,  
about Dec. 15, one red yearling steer,  
weight about 550. Liberal reward for  
return. Leave any information with  
T. B. Walker.

E. T. PENCE.

Two horses. Came to my place last  
of December. Owners can have same  
by proving property, paying for feed  
and this notice.

Jan. 17, '97. J. H. WEST,  
Hyattsville, Ky.

Card of Thanks.

I desire to thank my many friends  
through the columns of your paper  
for their kind assistance in selling my  
goods. I certainly appreciate the fa-  
vor and this kindness shall ever be re-  
membered.

Respectfully,  
MRS. SAM BRUCE.

Deputy Clerk Noel.

W. T. Noel has been sworn in as  
deputy county clerk. He will make  
headquarters at Luckey where those  
desiring to sign and acknowledge  
papers can do so without coming to  
town.

For Rent.

Two story brick store house, on  
Southeast corner Public Square, for-  
merly occupied by W. R. Robinson &  
Bro. Also ware room on lot adjoining  
National Bank.

Dec. 17-1f Mrs. W. R. Robinson.

New Hotel Managers.

Misses Sallie and Martha Tillett  
have taken charge of the Lancaster  
Hotel and will run the house strictly  
on first-class principles. The table  
will be kept supplied with the best  
market affords, and the best attention  
accorded the patrons.

Look At This.

Boots and Shoes mended on the  
shortest notice. For Cash, by T. J.  
Hatcher.

Of all the trades from East to West,  
The Cobbler's pass contending,  
He's like in time to prove the best,  
Who every day is mending.

How great his praise, how he can mend,  
The soles of all his neighbors,  
He's always watchful of his end,  
And to his last he labors.

Lancaster Building and Loan.

The Lancaster Building and Loan  
Association, at its annual meeting  
elected the following officers: W. H.  
Kinnaid, president, J. C. Hemphill,  
secretary, S. C. Denny, treasurer.

The board of directors is composed of  
the following gentlemen. John E.  
Stormes, J. C. Thompson, T. Curry,  
R. E. McRoberts and W. J. Romas.

Secretary Hemphill tells THE RE-  
CORD that he never knew the concern  
to be in better shape than at present.  
It being a home institution the people  
have perfect confidence in it and it is  
growing every day.

TO CURE A COLD IN ONE DAY.

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All  
Druggists refund the money if it fails to cure.  
25 cents.

The Public Square is one vast mud  
hole.

Fresh fish and oysters daily at Hen-  
ry Perkins.

Towels and Queensware at cost at  
S. T. Evans.

January 1st, '98 and after, I will sell  
strictly for cash. R. A. Stone.

Wanted, Veal Calves. Will go to  
country and buy. H. B. Northcott.

Cheapest house on earth. S. T. Ev-  
ans. Call and try him. Richmond  
street.

Dr. H. M. Grant and family have  
moved to the Fisher property on Lex-  
ington street.

Don't fail to see my all wool suits at  
\$6.50, and overcoats at \$7 and \$8.50.  
M. D. Hughes, Agt.

The oldest inhabitant does not re-  
member of seeing any rock spread  
upon the Public Square.

A negro named Floyd has been  
lodged in jail charged with assaulting  
a colored woman at Divistown.

Henry Duncan's Old Stand.

Over C. D. Powell's, is the place to go  
for a neat, stylish hair cut, a clean  
shave or shampoo. We make a spec-  
ialty of honing and concaving razors.

Notice!

You can get your grinding, both for  
family use and feeding purposes, done  
at Leavels mill. Crushed corn and  
meal always on hand for exchange.  
Also mixed feed of corn and bran for  
milk cows.

Save Me Your Laundry.

I have agency for the Troy Steam  
Laundry, with headquarters at Jo-  
seph's store. Will call for work, de-  
liver it promptly and appreciate your  
kindness. LESLIE HENDON.

Beats the Klondyke.

Butler Fox is now connected with  
the firm of M. A. Archer, and  
those taking produce, furs, hides,  
chickens, ducks, etc., to him say they  
get prices which beat the now famous  
Klondyke gold finds. Try him.

Sale.

On Saturday, June, 22, I. D. Current  
will sell a lot of stock, farming im-  
plements, corn, fodder, household and  
kitchen furniture at his residence on  
new Danville pike. He is preparing to  
move to Arkansas.

Often those who should grow fruit  
in most abundance must buy it or do  
without it. No farmer can buy fruit  
as cheaply as he can grow it. No one  
is going to grow it at less price than  
cost and sell it to him. It is a fact  
that but few farmers grow strawber-  
ries even for their own tables.

For Pulling a Gun.

Louis Leavell, of color, was before  
Judge Burnside Monday charged with  
drawing a pistol on R. W. Fletcher,  
the colored school teacher. A jury  
was asked for, which returned a ver-  
dict of \$50 fine and twenty days in  
jail. We understand the case will be  
appealed to the circuit court.

Scripture Quoting.

Ben Guinn, a colored employee of  
THE RECORD office, went to a funeral  
not long since and came back loud-  
ly praising the sermon. One of the boys  
asked him what the text was. Ben  
scratched his head, studied a few  
minutes and replied: He read out of  
the bible: "Let him that never does  
nothing wrong throw dust rock."

Premium Office.

The nearest office we ever saw, is  
that of Miss Eliza Lusk, county su-  
perintendent of schools. The walls are  
as clean as a new pin, and are adorned  
with pretty pictures and calendars,  
while a new carpet covers the floor.  
The other furniture has been rubbed  
up and we will wager dollars to dou-  
bts that a more neatly kept county  
office can not be found in the state,  
nor a more polite and accommodating  
office be found.

Carl Hermann.

The concert given by Carl Hermann  
in this city a few evenings since was  
highly enjoyed by those who braved  
the inclement weather to hear him.  
He is certainly a master of the violin.  
"The queen of instruments," and many  
were the compliments heard coming  
from those competent to judge. He  
not only charmed those who admire  
classical music, but mixed the program  
so as to catch the entire audience.

Warrant Against Prof. Fletcher.

Emma Johnson, a good looking col-  
ored girl, swore out a warrant Sat-  
urday against R. W. Fletcher, principal  
of the colored public school, charging  
him with the paternity of her child  
which was born several months since.  
Fletcher says the move is made and  
brought about by some of his enemies,  
whom he claims have been fighting  
him for some time and been trying in  
every way to annoy and antagonize  
him. He has been quite a leader in  
local politics, and his outspoken man-  
ner has caused many of his own party  
who do not agree with him to sour on  
him. The case has not yet been tried.

S. T. Evans will deliver goods to  
your door.

Oae Minute Cough Cure cures quick-  
ly. That's what you want! Stormes'  
Drug Store.

Union Meeting.

Eld. Gowen will preach the sermon  
at the union meeting in the Christian  
church Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

New Blacksmith Shop.

On Danville street. Horses shod,  
60 cents cash. All kinds of repairing  
done.

Ned Burdett & Co.

To the Public.

I wish to announce to the public  
that I will run the Lancaster Hotel  
this year, and solicit a liberal share of  
patronage. Miss Martha Tillett.

The theory of advertising is that it  
helps business. If the theory is wrong  
a business man ought not to spend any  
money at any time for advertising. If  
the theory be true the time to spend  
the most money is when business needs  
the most help-in the dull season.-Ex.

William Cook, of color, came up  
from Louisville this week to see about  
his lot opposite Judge Burnside's on  
Richmond street. He wants to sell  
the property. This is a desirable place  
and can be bought very reasonably.  
For particulars call on J. C. Thompson.

Miss Allie Hughes, Norfolk, Va.,  
was frightfully burned on the face  
and neck. Pain was instantly re-  
lieved by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve,  
which healed the injury without leav-  
ing a scar. It is the famous pile re-  
medy. Stormes' Drug Store.

I have served my connection with  
the firm of Northcott & Co., and will  
in the future be with M. A. Archer,  
ready to pay highest market price for  
Eggs, Chickens, Butter, Furs, Beef  
Hides and produce of all kinds.

Butler Fox.

Low Prices.

We are still ordering wool suits  
at \$6.50, \$8, \$9, and \$10, and over-  
coats at \$7 and \$8.50. Low prices, superior  
quality and good fits will bring them  
in. They come to save money.

M. D. Hughes, Agt.

Big Tobacco Sales.

A tobacco buyer from Louisville,  
named Bryant, made the following  
purchases in Garrard within the last  
few days: Three crops off Ed Walker's  
place, Graves crop 16,000 pounds at 13  
cents around; another crop of 13,000  
pounds at 8 1/2 cents; another crop of  
10,000 pounds at 8 cents; Billy Gooch  
crop of 13,000 pounds at 10 cents  
around; A. K. Walker crop of 6,000  
pounds at 9 1/4 cents; Wade Walker  
crop of 8,000 pounds at 8 1/2 cents; Bob  
West one crop of 6,000 pounds at 10c;  
same another crop of 6,000 pounds at 8  
cents; John A. Sanders 8,000 pounds at  
8 cents.

Major Jas. Barnside, who is the best  
posted tobacco man in Central Ken-  
tucky, tells THE RECORD that the 13  
cents paid for the Graves crop is the  
best price paid in this county since  
1887.

Week of Prayer.

The week of prayer was observed at  
the Presbyterian church and many  
persons attended. The different min-  
isters in town took turn about in con-  
ducting the services, in which much  
interest was manifested. The last  
meeting was held Sunday night, when  
Rev. T. H. Campbell preached. It is  
regretted that the inclement weather  
prevented a large number from hear-  
ing this sermon, as it was, indeed, a  
timely one. The speaker was on the  
subject of this going to church on  
Sunday and being mean and indig-  
nant in raceality through the week.  
He scored "dress parade religion" and  
severely and touched up the "Sunday  
Only" christian in a manner in which  
such hypocrites should be. There is  
no class of beings on earth for whom  
we have a greater contempt than those  
who go to church Sundays with long  
faces, bawl out gospel hymns with  
the grace of a scrub calf, and then  
spend the remaining six days of the  
week trying to beat and run down  
other people. Such people have an  
overwhelming majority in predilection.

The Banks Elect Directors.

At the regular election, the follow-  
ing gentlemen were chosen to serve as  
directors of the Citizens National  
Bank for the ensuing year: J. M.  
Higginbotham, Lewis J. Leavell, J. R.  
Johnson, T. M. Arnold, H. C. Arnold,  
Jr., R. E. Hudson, A. E. Gibbs, J. J.  
Walker, Jacob Y. Robinson.

The same officers were unanimously  
chosen to serve. They are J. M. Hig-  
ginbotham, president; L. Y. Leavell,  
vice president; R. E. Hudson, cashier;  
W. G. Rigney, assistant cashier, and  
Dave Walker, book-keeper.

The National Bank re-elected its  
same board of directors, which is as  
follows: Sam'l D. Cochran, Jas. Spil-  
man, Alex. R. Denny, A. C. Robinson,  
W. E. Cook, L. Davidson, John E.  
Stormes. They also decided unani-  
mously to retain the same officers,  
viz: A. R. Denny, president; Jas. E.  
Stormes, vice president, W. E. Kin-  
naid, cashier, S. C. Denny, assistant  
cashier, J. F. Robinson, Jr., book-  
keeper, R. T. Embury, assistant book-  
keeper.

Both institutions are in excellent  
condition and rank second to none in  
Kentucky.

An Error.

An aggravating error occurred in the  
local about the colored public school  
last issue. It was plainly written "the  
trustees action was approved by the  
superintendent," but the love-sick  
compositor made it read "the teacher's  
action," which placed an entirely dif-  
ferent meaning on the article.

Deserved Promotion.

At the directors meeting of the Cit-  
izens National Bank, Mr. W. O. Rigney  
was promoted to the responsible posi-  
tion of Assistant Cashier. Mr. Rigney  
has been in the bank for many years  
and it would be hard to find a more  
competent and painstaking official.  
His legion of friends and THE RECORD  
extend congratulations to Mr. R. on  
his deserved promotion.

Coughs and colds in themselves are  
not serious maladies. The most triv-  
ial cough or cold if neglected, may  
lead to asthma, bronchitis, or consump-  
tion. The right time to treat a cough  
or cold is right away. Delay means  
danger. Dr. Bell's Pine-Tar-Honey is  
a quick cure, a sure cure and a safe  
cure. Druggists sell it.

Fine Machinist.

One of the best engineers and ma-  
chicists in Kentucky is Wes. Zinone,  
who has charge of the large engines  
at the Lancaster Mills and Electric  
Light Plant. He can build an engine,  
and fix any kind of machinery in less  
time than it takes to tell it. He did  
some repairs on one of our presses  
this week which could not be excelled  
at the foundry. In addition to his  
fine mechanical qualifications he is a  
sober, steady gentleman and as clever  
a fellow as one cares to meet.

To College Without Cost.

The Cincinnati Commercial Gazette  
(weekly edition of the Commercial  
Tribune) offers to pay the entire ex-  
pense for a three-months' term of in-  
struction in college for any poor  
young man or woman who is unable  
to defray their own expenses getting  
an education. Write a postal card for  
a copy of this weekly edition of the  
paper and find a full explanation of  
the plan. It is one of the boldest  
strokes of modern journalistic enter-  
prise.

Rev. Ritchie Drops Dead.

Rev. E. Ritchie, pastor of one of the  
local colored churches, was found  
dead near the K. C. railroad Sunday  
morning. He had been ill for several  
days and some parties had staid up  
with him. He left the house about  
four o'clock, and not returning a  
search was made, his dead body being  
found as stated above. Coroner Green-  
leaf held an inquest, the jury deciding  
that death was caused by heart dis-  
ease. A large concourse of colored  
people attended the funeral Tuesday  
afternoon.

Growing Wheat Crop Sold.

A special from Danville says the  
first deal in the growing wheat crop  
of 1898 has taken place in Boyle county  
between Anderson & Spillman, the  
millers, and Jerry C. Caldwell, one of  
the largest farmers of that section.  
Mr. Caldwell sold the millers the  
wheat on 400 acres of ground at seven-  
ty-five cents per bushel, to go at  
threshing time. This time last year  
the growing crops were being pur-  
chased at from fifty-five to sixty-five cents,  
but now the farmers are not so an-  
xious to sell at seventy-five.

MORE RAIDS.

The Raiders Get In Their Work on the  
Danville Double Gate.

As stated in last issue of THE RE-  
CORD, the gates on both the new and  
old Danville roads were replaced and  
toll collected. Saturday night a num-  
ber of men rode quietly to the gates  
and proceeded to chop them into  
kindling wood. Gate keeper E. Ball  
poked his head out and was in "armed  
by the raiders that if he persisted in  
collecting toll he would be taken out  
and thrashed. He could not recog-  
nize any of them and says there were  
probably twenty-five in the gang,  
though only three did the work. The  
two companies filed affidavits before  
the county judge Monday and six  
guards were allowed, four for the dou-  
ble and two for the single gate. The  
stockholders are pretty hot in the col-  
lar and say they don't propose to be  
bluffed. The gates have been replaced  
and toll is being collected the same  
as usual.

Fiscal Court Closes the Deal and The  
Roads are now Free.

As predicted in last issue of THE  
RECORD, the committee from the Lex-  
ington Pike Co., and the Fiscal Court  
met and were not long in making sat-  
isfactory terms of sale. The deal is  
this: The county buys the 16 miles  
lying in Garrard county, including  
toll houses, and half the big bridge  
over Kentucky river for \$14,000. For  
this a note, bearing 4 per cent is given  
for paym't of purchase money, on  
which annual payments will be made  
with the 25 cents levy now allowed by  
law. It is stipulated and agreed that  
the question of issuing bonds be sub-  
mitted at the election next fall, and  
if same carry, then the note is to be  
paid off, taken up and canceled at  
once, stopping the interest. The price  
paid by the court is the same fixed by  
the committee recently appointed.  
On Wednesday the court again met  
and closed a deal with the New Dan-  
ville pike company. The county buys  
the 4 1/2 miles lying in the county for  
\$700. This is the price fixed by the  
committee. The terms were the same  
as mentioned above for the Lexing-

Wanted, car load of Iron, Bones and  
Rags.

H. B. Northcott.

No Officers Yet.

Owing to the illness of Mr. T. Cur-  
rey, the City Council has not yet elect-  
ed city officers.

Teacher's Money.

Miss Eliza Lusk tells THE RECORD  
that she will be prepared to make a  
payment to the teachers tomorrow,  
Saturday.

Big School.

Prof. Ben F. Evans has charge of a  
large subscription school at Edenton,  
Madison county. B. F. is a fine teach-  
er and gives good satisfaction wher-  
ever he teaches.

Born to the wife of G. M. Austin on  
the 9th, a fine boy. Both mother and  
baby are doing nicely, and the father  
is rejoicing over the prospects of a  
substantial democrat.

Certificates of Graduation.

Miss Lusk, county superintendent,  
informs us that an examination will  
be held at her office on the last Thurs-  
day in this month for those wishing  
certificates of graduation from the  
common school course.

Burglars.

Burglars entered the residence of  
Mrs. Margaret Gill Wednesday night,  
by prizing open a shutter. The house  
was completely ransacked, bureau  
drawers broken open and everything  
torn up, generally, though a small  
amount of money and two rings is all  
that has been missed. The table in  
the dining room showed that the  
thieves also partook of a good lunch.  
The residence of W. B. Mason was al-  
so entered. "Kegs" clothes were taken  
from near his bed and the pockets  
gone through. Fortunately he had  
left no money in them, but his hand-  
some gold watch was taken. The  
clothes were taken into a front room  
and a lamp lighted which the parties  
left burning.

As usual, there is no clew to the dar-  
ing work. There is only one thing for  
our citizens to do, having no night  
protection, and that is to get a shot-  
gun and load it with buckshot. The  
time has arrived when the people will  
either have to defend their own prop-  
erty or leave it wholly at the mercy  
of midnight sneaks. When some of  
the culprits receive a good charge of  
shot, it will certainly check the devil-  
ment.

A Tempest in a Tea Pot.

It was reported on Wednesday that  
the County Judge's office was vacant  
because Circuit Clerk Hamilton, refus-  
ed to accept Judge R. A. Burnside's  
bond, on the ground that it was offer-  
ed too late, the statute requiring it to  
be made on the first Monday in Janu-  
ary. The report created quite a sen-  
sation and the parties mentioned and  
county attorney Owsley, went to Stan-  
ford to confer with Judge Sauley. We  
understand that he advised the clerk  
to accept the bond if the parties sign-  
ing it were good, and there was no  
question about that. The bond had  
been signed several days and the Judge  
had neglected to offer it to the clerk.

It is said that Judge Sauley said  
that there is a conflict between the  
constitution and the law requiring the  
bond to be made on the first Monday;  
that no one could declare the office  
vacant without proper legal proceed-  
ings, in which the question would be  
involved, and that he could hold un-  
der his old bond until another had  
been given. Whether or not we have  
been correctly informed on these opin-  
ions, he is still county judge and is  
likely to remain so unless a vacancy  
occurs











